

## **Solid Waste Management Plan**

## **City Seeking Input from the Community**

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Bloomington, MN— How much trash do we generate? Are there ways to recycle more? How can we reduce the amount of litter and waste created in Bloomington? Recyclables and trash are generated by all residents and businesses, and answering these questions is important to Bloomington's growth and development.

To move forward with its Sustainability Plan, the City of Bloomington is developing a 20-year Solid Waste Management Plan that will address options for improved recycling services, yard waste collection and composting, better recycling at community spaces and events, bulky waste and appliance collections, and other aspects of reusing, recycling or disposing of unwanted items from residents and businesses.

The Bloomington City Council is seeking input from the community regarding trash and recycling. Open houses and public hearings are being scheduled. The first open house will be held Wednesday, December 4, 4 - 7 p.m., in the Council Chambers, 1800 W. Old Shakopee Rd. For more information, visit <a href="www.ci.bloomington.mn.us">www.ci.bloomington.mn.us</a>, keywords: Solid Waste or contact Solid Waste Management Plan @ci.bloomington.mn.us or 952-563-8730.

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